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Pot reformers light up fire at clerk's office

by ROGER VINCENT

Spokesmen for the Marijuana Reform League of California will ask Secretary of State Edmund Brown Jr.'s office later this week to investigate the adequacy of voting procedures in San Luis Obispo County.

"We believe there may be a de facto violation of the 1964 Civil Rights Act taking place here," said Jerry Goldberg of the MRL in Los Angeles.

Goldberg came to San Luis Obispo Tuesday to investigate what he said were the unusually high rejection rate of signatures on petitions to place the prospect of decriminalized marijuana on the November ballot.

"Nearly 80 per cent of the signatures collected in this county were rejected by the county clerk's office. This is an unusually high rate, especially

considering how clean the petitions were. It's easy to spot freaks in L.A., but these signatures looked like they were taken in good faith."

Most of the signatures eliminated here were rejected because of improper addresses accompanying the signatures according to Goldberg. He charged the county clerk's office with being too slow at recording new addresses of registering voters.

Goldberg also has accused acting County Clerk Mableth Wollam of making it difficult for young people to be deputy registrars, especially 18 to 21-year-olds. "There's a frightening amount of potential voters not registered in this county. Registration procedures are such that people are being disenfranchised."

In response Mrs. Wollam declared allegations that she is making it difficult for young registrars are "completely false and untrue."

"I don't pay much attention to age," Mrs. Wollam continued, "and I don't have any hang-ups about appearances. Naturally I'd hope deputy registrars were well groomed, but I don't believe long hair has any influence on a person's ability to register voters."

Mrs. Wollam conceded many clerical duties in her office have been difficult since the death last May of County Clerk Ruth Warnken. "I'm very understaffed right now. In fact my entire official staff consists of two intermediate typist clerks."

Mrs. Wollam recently held a class necessary for enrolling deputy registrars, the first since Miss Warnken's death. Another class is scheduled next week, to add to the present total of 184 deputy registrars in this county.

As far as the allegation that many marijuana petition signatures were rejected for incorrect addresses, Mrs. Wollam said she didn't know without research what the main reasons were for signature rejections.

She did say that deputy registrars have an obligation to turn in proof of a new voter's registration on a weekly basis, and that the marijuana petitions were turned in on and off throughout the drive and checked for validity immediately when received.

Holiday hours

The University Library will be closed from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. on Good Friday, April 19. On Saturday April 19, the Library will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Easter Sunday, April 14, the Library will remain closed.



photo by BILL JONES

PLASTIC FLOWERS—Maureen Johnson, a Poly co-ed, puts the final touch on one of her specialties—liquid plastic flowers. Mrs. Johnson will demonstrate how to make synthetic flowers today in the bookstore from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Editor will speak

The role of the editor and the obligations he must possess to meet the demands of his profession will be the subject of a free public lecture Thursday at 11 a.m. by Telegram-Tribune editor George Brand. The lecture will be in Room 280 of the University Union.

Brand will explore the obligation of the press to the public and will cite some of his own experiences as examples of the forum which molded his career in journalism.

Brand began as a reporter

while still enrolled in Occidental College in 1947. With the exception of two years in Korea with the Marine Corps, he has worked continuously in the field of journalism for 25 years.

Following his stint in the Marine Corps, Brand took a job as a reporter for the Redding Record-Searchlight, where he went on to become managing editor. He left that position after 10 years to take the job of editor-in-chief at the Telegram-Tribune in 1968.

One of the most tempting career offers Brand had during his stay at the Telegram-Tribune was an appointment as director of information for the Department of Health, Education and Welfare in Washington, D.C. HEW Secretary Robert Finch took on Brand as liaison between his office and the media on a six-month leave of absence from the Telegram-Tribune.

Brand opted to return as editor after spending six months in the urban, -hustle-bustle environment of the nation's capital, confessing, "I preferred journalism to government work."

Brand's lecture is on the first of three offerings of the Arts and Humanities lecture series at Cal Poly.

Golda leaves Israeli post

JERUSALEM (UPI)—Prime Minister Golda Meir resigned Wednesday, saying she has "reached the end of the road."

Her resignation dimmed a raging controversy over who should take the blame for Israel's lack of preparedness for last October's war with the Arabs which threatened to diminish the ruling Labor alignment and topple her coalition government.

The 75-year-old Mrs. Meir, Israel's fourth prime minister, has held the post since 1969.

Simon says

Gas pinch easing

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Energy chief William E. Simon said today there will be enough gasoline available for Americans to take their normal summer trips this year.

Simon said that with rapidly improving gasoline supplies—as oil is again reaching this country from the Middle East—the situation has returned to "near normal."

"As the supplies again begin to land on this shore, we'll have a sufficiency of gasoline with the production levels that have been established certainly by the end of May," Simon said.

Simon also predicted that first quarter profits of major oil companies will be so high as to be "unbearable" to them when

compared to the first three months of 1973.

Simon was asked to comment during an interview on the NBC-TV Today Show on a statement by Sen. Henry Jackson, D-Wash., that oil company profits would be "obscene."

"I don't think that I'd use that adjective," Simon said. "I would say that in the traditional way of financial reporting as compared to the first quarter of last year that they're going to be embarrassing (because) of the gasoline shortfall and the experience that the American people have had. But...we have to sit back and take a look at how the oil company profits have measured against all other companies over a long period of time and you'll see that they fall in the middle range."

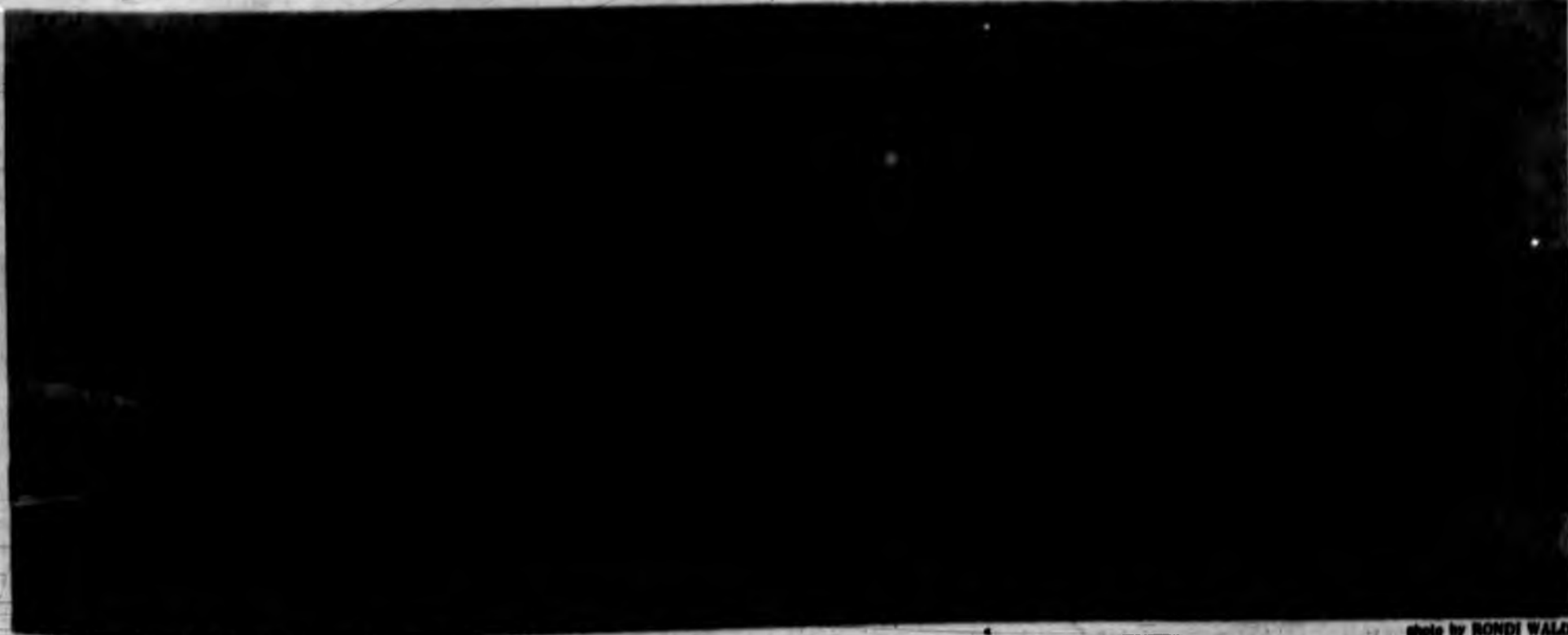


photo by BONDI WALD

PARKING SQUEEZE—Here's one way to get a parking space...drive a steam roller. No one will nose you out for fear of becoming a flat subject. This one occupied a space in the lot behind the Men's Gym for three days.

Key speakers hold debate

Three Democratic candidates for the 18th congressional district seat will debate at 11 a.m. in U.U. 207 today. The candidates are Phil Harry, Morgan Flagg and Julian Camecho.

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An active member of the student chapter of the Institute of Traffic Engineers, Testoo has an overall grade average of A-minus. He was also the recipient of the Western Electric Foundation Society Scholarship for 1973-74.

Testoo is a member of the Blue Key honor society, Phi Kappa Phi national honorary society for outstanding academic achievement and Tau Beta Pi engineering honorary society.

The top school was New Mexico State University, followed by Texas A&M and the University of Illinois.

Members of the Cal Poly team, coached by E. Ray Houston, were Ken Vincent, Joe Nunn and Greg Wade.

Poly Royal plans will be discussed by Engineering Technology majors in the electronics option at a meeting today at 11 a.m.

Planning Coordinator Ray Esquivel urges those interested to bring their ideas to Room 200 in the Engineering West building or to contact him at 544-4222.

Automata talk will be given

A math professor from the University of Alaska will conclude his two lecture series today and tomorrow when he presents two lectures each on the subjects of automata and advanced math.

Professor Tom Head will speak on automata—a subject that relates to linguistics as well as math—at 7:30 p.m. tonight and at 1:10 p.m. tomorrow. Both talks will be in room B-6 of the Science Building.

He will talk about some advanced mathematical theories at 11:10 both today and tomorrow in room 188 of the Math & Home Ec. Building.

Head said, "Automata is the theory of formal or machine processes which pertain to linguistics or computer processes. He said that his talks should be of interest to linguists, electrical engineers, mathematicians and computer scientists.

Head's morning lectures are directed to students and professors interested in advanced math. The general area of the talks will be computational groups.

Performers are needed to help raise funds for Poly Royal and to perform during Poly Royal. Any person or group interested in donating their talent should leave their name and telephone number in the Poly Royal Box located in Engineering West 102, or call Ron at 544-5555.

The groups would be performing during the University Hours that precede Poly Royal.

Not only florists say it with flowers.

In fact, the Ornamental Horticulture department said it well enough last week to place fourth among 18 teams entered in the National Intercollegiate Flower Judging Contest.

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War Memorial Fund may go to University Union

by DEBBIE WISEMANN

Thoughts of a lost or forgotten War Memorial Fund can finally be put out of mind.

Al Amaral, Foundation executive director, said that the University Foundation is holding several funds in trust that had been donated for the purpose of constructing or equipping a student union.

The first fund of \$70 was donated by the Class of 1948 for the purpose of securing "...a permanent trophy, fixture, or other articles deemed fitting, proper, or necessary."

In 1948, a second fund was started, the War Memorial Fund. The intended purpose was to

accumulate funds to be used for the building or equipping of a student union. A \$600 War Bond was purchased.

Again in 1948, \$600 was donated to the War Memorial Fund by Mrs. Dagmar J. Geold, in memory of her son who had died in the war. The Class of 1948 donated \$600 for the purpose of engraving the cornerstone of a future student union and to construct a copper box for placement in the cornerstone.

The total of these funds are invested by the Foundation and are now identified as the "War Memorial Fund." The money has been invested in Certificates of Deposits and are backed by the government, said Amaral. As of

Dec. 31, 1979, the total of the fund was \$6,661.86.

The University Union was built with money generated by the sale of Revenue Bonds that were sold to the investing public. However, before the sale of bonds could be started, approximately \$600,000 had to be secured as a type of down payment from Student Union fees and rent from the bookstores.

Amaral said that since money had already been allocated for the building it was decided that the War Memorial Fund money

could best be used in "equipping" the building.

Amaral said that it was not his decision as to what to do with the money, but that it was completely up to the University Union Board of Governors.

Scott Plotkin, chairman for the UUBG said that several proposals for the use of the money were under consideration. He said that at the moment there were several ideas seriously being considered.

Kevin O'Connor, chairman of the War Memorial Fund Com-

mittee, said "We're interested in getting all sorts of university input, so we can make the best use of the available funds. All suggestions on how the money can best be used should be sent to the Associated Students, Inc. office."

After the final decision is reached, officers of the classes of 1948 and 1949, as well as a member of the Geold family must be contacted to insure that the funds are being used to fulfill the donors' wishes.

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